

Grade 1 - Theme 6

COMPREHENSION

Directions: Read the story “Ray’s Fun Picnic.” Then answer Numbers 21 to 30.

Ray’s Fun Picnic



- 1 Ray had a picnic in the summer. It was on a beautiful, sunny day. What foods did he bring? What games did he play? Ray wanted to plan the best picnic ever!
- 2 First, Ray thought about whom to invite to the picnic. He asked some friends and his family. Next, he picked a spot to have the picnic. He picked a spot with lots of space for people to eat and run around. Some good spots for a picnic are a park, a lake, a forest, or a beach.



3 Ray and his friends sat down and had many foods at the picnic. They all ate sandwiches. They also ate some other foods. They ate watermelon, grapes, and corn on the cob. Ray's friends liked the food. After lunch they played games.



4 Ray played many games at his picnic. He played catch with his friends. They tossed a ball across the grass. The children had a fun water fight. Some people played hide and seek. They had fun tricking the person who was searching for them!



5 Ray cared for his friends. He wanted to keep his picnic safe. Ray wore a helmet when he rode his bike. He took a first aid kit for cuts and scrapes. Ray had lots of fun planning his picnic. Ray wanted to plan one again soon!



21 Which food is make believe? 22 Which game is real?

Ⓐ flying grapes

Ⓐ hide and seek

Ⓑ watermelon

Ⓑ jump and fly

Ⓒ corn on the cob

Ⓒ catch the comet

23 Ray's friends MOST likely ____.

- Ⓐ ate too much
- Ⓑ had a great time
- Ⓒ forgot their bikes

24 Which list includes games?

- Ⓐ catch, water fight, grapes
- Ⓑ picnic, beach, forest
- Ⓒ hide and seek, catch, water fight

25 Which is NOT a food?

- Ⓐ watermelon
- Ⓑ sandwiches
- Ⓒ picnic

26 What is the subject of the sentence?

Ray had a picnic in the summer.

- Ⓐ picnic
- Ⓑ summer
- Ⓒ Ray

27 Which word goes in the blank?

Ray wanted to plan the best picnic ever!
_____ wanted to play games.

- Ⓐ She
- Ⓑ They
- Ⓒ He

28 Which word goes in the blank?

Ray played catch with his friends. _____
tossed a ball across the grass.

- Ⓐ Them
- Ⓑ They're
- Ⓒ They

29 Which word goes in the blank?

_____ like to have picnics at the beach.

- Ⓐ Me
- Ⓑ Us
- Ⓒ I

30 How can you combine these two sentences?

It was a beautiful day. It was a sunny day.

- Ⓐ It was a beautiful and it was a sunny day.
- Ⓑ It was a beautiful, sunny day.
- Ⓒ It was beautiful and it was sunny day.

Directions: Read the story "A Good Birthday." Then answer Numbers 31 to 40.

A Good Birthday

- 1 It was Pat's birthday. A good smell woke her up.
"Dad is cooking pancakes!" Pat said.
Then she added, "I hope I get a dog for my birthday!"



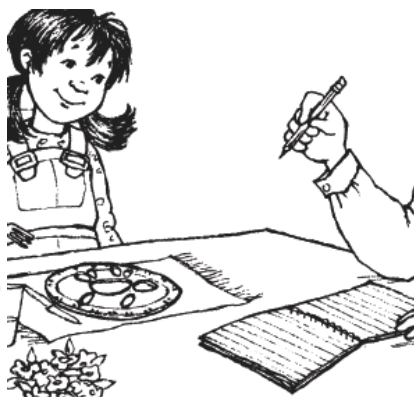
- 2 Pat's dad cooked lots of small pancakes for her.
He made them into a shape.
The shape was what Pat wanted for her birthday.



- 3 Dad took the pancakes to Pat.
She started to laugh.
"These pancakes look like a dog!" she said.



- 4 Dad said, "Let's write a list of what a dog needs. Then we'll go look for a dog for you." "Thanks!" Pat yelled.



- 31 Why is the title of the story, "A Good Birthday"?
- Ⓐ The pancakes smelled good.
 - Ⓑ Pat is a good girl.
 - Ⓒ Pat might get what she wanted.
- 32 Pat's favorite breakfast might be ____.
- Ⓐ pancakes
 - Ⓑ waffles
 - Ⓒ cereal
- 33 Next, Pat might go to ____.
- Ⓐ work
 - Ⓑ the pet store
 - Ⓒ the pool
- 34 What do you think Pat will get for her birthday?
- Ⓐ more pancakes
 - Ⓑ a dog
 - Ⓒ some blocks
- 35 How did Pat feel at the end of the story?
- Ⓐ scared
 - Ⓑ excited
 - Ⓒ angry

36 What is the subject of the sentence?

Dad is cooking pancakes!

- Ⓐ cooking
- Ⓑ Dad
- Ⓒ pancakes

37 Which word goes in the blank?

It was Pat's birthday. ____ hoped to get a dog.

- Ⓐ He
- Ⓑ She
- Ⓒ Her

38 Which word goes in the blank?

**Dad and Pat went to look for a dog.
____ left at 2:00.**

- Ⓐ We
- Ⓑ They
- Ⓒ Them

39 Which word goes in the blank?

**My dad made pancakes for ____
on Sunday.**

- Ⓐ me
- Ⓑ I
- Ⓒ they

40 How can you combine these two sentences?

Pat's dad made pancakes. He made them into shapes.

- Ⓐ Pat's dad made pancakes into shapes.
- Ⓑ Pat's dad made pancakes and Pat's dad made shapes.
- Ⓒ Pat's dad made pancakes and the shapes he made.